

## Philosophy of Education

Teachers are those who challenge the students at school to develop, learn, and grow in school. Being a teacher is a huge responsibility. I believe that I have the strength and confidence to be a teacher of the future. I want to be able to teach young minds and let them know that they can get the education they need to grow up and strive for what they want in life. Students deserve all the help they can get to succeed in school and I know that I can give them that assistance.

An effective teacher is a teacher that can help the students in every way possible. Working with students one-on-one and as a whole class are roles that teachers should have. Teachers are who the kids look up to. Coming to class grumpy every day is not a good example that a teacher should give to their students. Teachers should be able to talk to each and every student and create a relationship with them all. An ideal classroom should be a room that students are welcomed to and know that they will be getting the information they need to be taught. It should be a warming environment to where the kids are excited to come to class every day. Challenging the students is a great way of showing the students that they are learning or that they are developing their learning skills at school.

I want to become a teacher when I grow up because I know that I am comfortable working with students at a young age. Being a teacher would allow me the ability to interact with kids every day and I've always loved kids since I was in 2<sup>nd</sup> grade. The person who motivated me the most was my mom and my 2<sup>nd</sup> grade teacher. Because of them, I wanted and I knew I could be a great teacher when I grew up. Mrs. Pristernik inspired me to become a teacher and told me that if I reached for my dreams, they will come true. Knowing that my mom made it and is now a teacher, I knew I could do it too. I'm very encouraged about my future and I'm very excited to know that I will be a teacher in my own classroom someday.